GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3115
ANSWERED ON:23.12.2003
EXPENDITURE INCURRED ON NDSI AND HOUSE KEEPING
VSM (RETD.) COL. CHOUDHARY

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the expenditure incurred on National Discipline Scheme Instructor(NDSI) and House Keeping Staff by State Governmen of Rajasthan is required to be reimbursed by the Union Government;

(b) if so, the reasons for delay to reimburse Rs.42.69 crores spent by Government of Rajasthan on NDSI Programme and House Keeping Staff till March 2003;

(c) whether the Union Government has received any representation from Government of Rajasthan for early re-imbursement of outstanding dues; and

(d) if so, the likely time by which this amount would be re-imbursed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI VIJAY GOEL)

(a) Consequent upon transfer of the National Discipline Scheme to the State Governments/UT Administrations in the year 1972, the Union Government had undertaken to reimburse the expenditure incurred by the State Government and UT Administrations on account of pay and allowances of the NDSI staff.As such, the State Government of Rajasthan is eligible for reimbursement of such expenses.

(b) to (d): The proposal from the State Government ofRajasthan for reimbursement of Rs.42.69 crores have been received. However, it has not yet been possible to release the due amount due to inadequate Non-Plan Budget provision for 2003-2004 for National Discipline Scheme and competing claims from other State Governments.